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referring to Project **CHALICE**

20 May 1958

MEMORANDUM FOR: Development Officer, DPS/DCI

THROUGH : Director of Development & Procurement

SUBJECT : B Camera Reliability

1. Although I see the cable traffic on training and other missions, I do not attempt to keep a record of equipment performance. Accordingly, although I have the impression that B camera performance has been improving lately, I would like a more definitive report from you. Could you let me have a summary of B camera and tracker performance for the period since your visit to the field.

2. When I visited Detachment B, [REDACTED] felt he was on the track of the cause of many B camera malfunctions. Both he and [REDACTED] assured me that, within a few days, the Detachment would submit a technical report on their findings so that Detachment C and the Hycon staff would have the benefit of their experience. Could you let me know whether any such report has come in from Detachment B. If it has not, I wonder if we should not send a brief query to [REDACTED] referring to the work in progress when I was at [REDACTED]

SIGNED

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